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APPLICATION NUMBER	FILING/RECEIPT DATE	FIRST NAMED APPLICANT	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO./TITLE
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

Filing Date Granted

An Application Number and Filing Date have been assigned to this application. The items indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE** within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a). If any of items 1 or 3 through 5 are indicated as missing, the **SURCHARGE** set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of **\$65.00** for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, or ☐ **\$130.00** for a non-small entity, must also be timely submitted in reply to this **NOTICE** to avoid abandonment.

If an required items on this form are filed within the period set above, the total amount owed by applicant as a ☒ small entity (statement filed) ☐ non-small entity is \$ 105-.

- ☐ 1. The statutory basic filing fee is:

- ☐ missing:
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Applicant must submit \$_____ to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).

- ☐ 2. The following additional claims fees are due:

\$_____ for _____ total claims over 20.

\$_____ for _____ independent claims over 3.

_____ for multiple dependent claim surcharge.

Applicant must either submit the additional claim fees or cancel additional claims for which fees are due.

- ☒ 13. The oath or declaration:

- ☒ is missing or unsigned.

- ☐ does not cover the newly submitted items.

An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1. 63, including residence information and identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date is required.

- ☐ 4. The signature(s) to the oath or declaration is/are by a person other than inventor or person qualified under 37 CFR 1.42, 1.43 or 1.47.

A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.

- ☐ 5. The signature of the following joint inventor(s) is missing from the oath or declaration:

An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63 listing the names of all inventors and signed by the omitted inventor(s), identifying this application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.

- ☐ 6. A \$50.00 processing fee is required since your check was returned without payment (37 CFR 1.21(m)).

- ☐ 7. Your filing receipt was mailed in error because your check was returned without payment.

- ☐ 8. The application was filed in a language other than English.

Applicant must file a verified English translation of the application, the \$130.00 set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(k), unless previously submitted, and a statement that the translation is accurate (37 CFR 1.52(d)).

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9. OTHER:

Direct the reply and any questions about this notice to "Attention: Box Missing Parts."

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Re: U.S. Utility Patent Application
Appl. No. 09/323,206; Filed: June 1, 1999
For: **System and Method for Electronic Inventory**
Inventor(s): Bandy *et al.*
Our Ref: 1689.0010001

Sir:

In reply to the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Application--Filing Date Granted," dated July 1, 1999, Applicants submit the following documents for appropriate action by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office:

1. Copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts;
2. Fee Transmittal (Form PTO/SB/17) (*in duplicate*);
3. Copy of the executed combined Declaration and Power of Attorney, as filed in U.S. Appl. No. 08/975,969;
4. Request for Refund (*in duplicate*);
5. Copy of return postcard, receipt of which is acknowledged by official USPTO date stamp;
6. Information Disclosure Statement;

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7. Form PTO-1449, citing 65 documents;
8. Return postcard; and
9. Our Check No. 25272 for \$65.00 to cover surcharge for late filing of Declaration.

It is respectfully requested that the attached postcard be stamped with the date of filing of these documents, and that it be returned to our courier.

The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036. If extensions of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 other than those otherwise provided for herewith are required to prevent abandonment of the present patent application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned, and any fees therefor are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

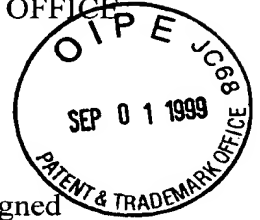
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE



In re application of:

Bandy *et al.*

Appl. No. 09/323,206

Filed: June 1, 1999

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Art Unit: 2765

Examiner: To be assigned

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Request for Refund

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Sir:

It is requested that \$65.00 be credited to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036. It is asserted that credit for the following is due:

\$65.00 for the surcharge for late filing of the Declaration.

Credit is due for the following reasons:

The following documents were filed in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on June 1, 1999:

1. SKGF Cover Letter (*in duplicate*);
2. PTO Utility Patent Application Transmittal Form (PTO/SB/05);
3. U.S. Utility Patent Application entitled:

System and Method for Electronic Inventory

the application consisting of:

- a. A specification containing:
 - (i) 25 pages of description prior to the claims;
 - (ii) 19 pages of claims (91 claims);
 - (iii) a one (1) page abstract;
- b. 10 sheet(s) of drawings: (Figures 1-10);
- c. A copy of the executed combined Declaration and Power of Attorney, as filed in U.S. Appl. No. 08/975,969;

4. PTO Fee Transmittal Form PTO/SB/17 (*in duplicate*);
5. Authorization to Treat a Reply as Incorporating an Extension of Time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(3) (*in duplicate*);
6. A Preliminary Amendment;
7. Two (2) return postcards; and
8. Our check No. 24551 for \$380.00 to cover the application filing fee.

The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office issued a Notice to File Missing Parts alleging that the Declaration was missing from the above-captioned application filing.

Applicants respectfully submit that a copy of the Declaration *was* submitted with the application. A date-stamped postcard was returned to our courier by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office mailroom acknowledging receipt of the documents listed above. A copy of the date-stamped postcard is submitted concurrently herewith.

In view of the facts provided above, Applicants respectfully submit that their assertion that a credit is due is proper and request that the surcharge amount of \$65.00 be credited to Deposit Account No. 19-0036. A duplicate copy of this Request is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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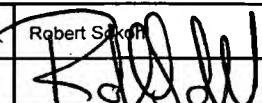
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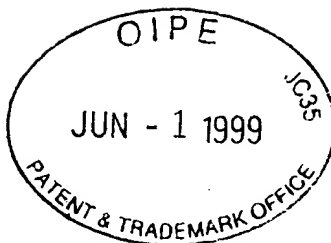
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